

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 12 with the following amended paragraph:

-- When the elasticity of the spring member 141 increases so ~~s~~ as to rapidly fall the coupling member 133 against the magnetic force caused by residual flux, a holding voltage applied to the solenoid coil 138 must be increased in order to maintain the state where the coupling member 133 rises. Accordingly, consumption of power increases. --